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House Resolution 1668

By: Representative Harden of the 147<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and celebrating the 100th birthday of Mrs. Ruby Watson Davis; and for other
- 2 purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Ruby Watson Davis was born on January 10, 1910, in Crisp County,
- 4 Georgia, and this year she has the rare and joyous distinction of celebrating her 100th
- 5 birthday; and
- 6 WHEREAS, a resident of Cordele, Georgia, since 1942, Mrs. Davis is a true Granddaughter
- 7 of the Confederate Daughters of America, a Past Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star, and
- 8 a 50 year member of the Garden Club; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Davis was united in love and marriage to the late Jim Davis on November
- 10 20, 1927, and the couple enjoyed 59 wonderful years together; and
- 11 WHEREAS, she has been blessed with the love and support of three remarkable sons, Gene,
- 12 Elwood, and Roe; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
- 14 the foundation and framework of success in which all of her family members have developed
- and flourished; and
- 16 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Mrs. Davis has been an active member of
- 17 First Baptist Church in Cordele for 60 years, uplifting the congregation with her smile,
- 18 generosity, and care for others; and
- 19 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
- 20 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens and she possesses the vast wisdom
- 21 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
- 22 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

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23 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for

- 24 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she has made of her life,
- 25 she makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she
- be appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.
- 27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 28 the members of this body join in commending Mrs. Ruby Watson Davis on the occasion of
- 29 her 100th birthday and wishing her many more years of happiness.
- 30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Ruby Watson Davis.